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Appl. No. 09/462,625; § 371 Date: July 28, 2000

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Inventors:

Georgiev et al.

Our Ref:

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

- 1. Fee Transmittal PTO/SB/17;
- 2. Petition For Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(1);
- 3. Second Supplemental Reply;
- 4. Statement from the Russian Journal of Genetics;
- 5. Terminal Disclaimer;
- 6. Certificate Under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b);
- 7. PTO-2038 Credit Card Payment Form for \$2,120.00 to cover: \$2,010.00 Extension of Time; \$110.00 Terminal Disclaimer Fee; and
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